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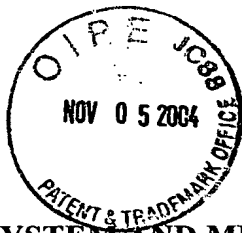
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[0002] This application ~~claims priority from the following application~~, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety:

[0003] SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING BUSINESS PROCESSES IN A PORTAL, U.S. Application No., 60/451,348; Inventors: Daryl Olander et al., filed on February 28, 2003. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1405US0)

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0004] ~~This application is related to the following co-pending applications~~ which are each hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety:

[0005] OPEN MARKET COLLABORATION SYSTEM FOR ENTERPRISE WIDE ELECTRONIC COMMERCE, U.S. Application No.

60/183,067, Inventors: Rocky Stewart, et al., filed on February 16, 2000. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1033US1)

[0006] SYSTEMS AND METHODS UTILIZING A WORKFLOW DEFINITION LANGUAGE, U.S. Application No. 60/450,074, Inventor: Pal Takacsi-Nagy, filed on February 25, 2003. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1389US0)

[0007] SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CLIENT-SIDE FILTERING OF SUBSCRIBED MESSAGES, U.S. Application No. 60/450,061, Inventors: Mike Blevins, et al., filed on February 25, 2003. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1390US0)

[0008] SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DYNAMIC DATA BINDING IN DISTRIBUTED APPLICATIONS, U.S. Application No. 60/450,516, Inventor: Edward O'Neil, filed on February 26, 2003. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1448US0)

[0009] SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR AN EXTENSIBLE CONTROLS ENVIRONMENT, U.S. Application No. 60/451,352, Inventors: Kyle Marvin, et al., filed on February 28, 2003. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1444US0)

[0010] SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR STRUCTURING DISTRIBUTED APPLICATIONS, U.S. Application No. 60/450,226, Inventors: Daryl Olander, et al., filed on February 25, 2003. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1402US0)

[0011] REUSABLE SOFTWARE CONTROLS, U.S. Application No. _____, Inventors: Kyle Marvin et al., filed on February 17, 2004. (Attorney's Docket No. BEAS-1354US0)

FIELD OF THE DISCLOSURE

[0012] The present invention disclosure relates to a system and method for implementing business processes in a web portal.

BACKGROUND

[0013] Information technology (IT) systems are often implemented as standalone systems, each addressing particular business issues. Enterprises are faced with the task of integrating these disparate systems. Traditionally, islands of individual applications that needed to share data have been integrated in an ad hoc manner, using homegrown integration. Hard-coded and point-to-point solutions attempt to address the problem but instead can create an IT nightmare of innumerable